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SUBJ: USS REASONER VISIT TO COLOMBO, AUG 11 TO 15, 1973

FOR COMMANDING OFFICER FROM AMB VAN HOLLEN

1. YOUR VISIT HERE WAS CONDUCTED IN HIGHLY PROFESSIONAL MANNER AND MADE MOST FAVORABLE IMPACT ON US - SRI LANKA RELATIONS.
  2. EXEMPLARY CONDUCT ASHORE OF MEN OF REASONER, BOTH IN UNIFORM AND CIVILIAN ATTIRE, GAVE FINE IMPRESSION OF US MILITARY DURING FOUR DAYS OF EXTENSIVE SIGHTSEEING IN COLOMBO AND SURROUNDING COUNTRYSIDE. SPORTSMANSHIP AND PERSONAL DEMEANOR DISPLAYED DURING SPORTING EVENTS AND INFORMAL SOCIAL ACTIVITIES REFLECT GREAT CREDIT ON DESTROYER FORCE AND US NAVY.
  3. PLEASE RELAY MY CONGRATULATIONS TO ENTIRE CREW FOR A JOB WELL DONE.
- VAN HOLLEN

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